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PART 1 GENERAL

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NOTE: This specification is to provide inserts into  
the NASA Section 09515 ACOUSTIC CEILINGS, CONCEALED  
GRID calling out affirmative procurement  
requirements for recycled materials in acoustic  
ceiling tiles.  
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1.1 SUBMITTALS

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NOTE: If SD-03 Product Data already exist in the  
Submittal Article, add the submittal items below to  
the end of SD-03 Product Data.  
  
If SD-03 Product Data does not exist in the  
Submittal Article, insert the entire paragraph  
below, including SD-03 Product Data.  
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SD-03 Product Data

Manufacturer's data shall be submitted indicating percentage of  
recycle material in acoustic ceiling tiles to verify affirmative  
procurement compliance.

Total weight and volume quantities of acoustic ceiling tiles with  
recycle material shall be submitted.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

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NOTE: Insert the subpart below as Subpart 2.1 to  
describe affirmative procurement requirements.  
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2.1 AFFIRMATIVE PROCUREMENT

Mineral Wool, Cellulose, and Laminated Paperboard used in acoustic ceiling  
tiles are materials listed in the EPA's Comprehensive Procurement  
Guidelines (CPG) (<http://www.epa.gov/cpg/>).

EPA's recommended Recovered Materials Content Levels for Mineral Wool,  
Cellulose, Structural Fiberboard and Laminated Paperboard are:

Product	Material	Percent Of Post Consumer Materials	Percent Of Total Recovered Materials
Laminated Paperboard	Post Consumer Paper	100	100
Rock Wool	Slag		75
Cellulose	Post Consumer Paper	75	75

The recommended recovered materials content levels are based on the weight (not volume) of materials in the insulating core only.

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NOTE: If the Architect/Engineer determines that use of certain materials meeting the CPG content standards and guidelines would result in inadequate competition, do not meet quality/performance specifications, are available at an unreasonable price or are not available within a reasonable time frame, the Architect/Engineer may submit to Contracting Officer a written justification and supporting documentation for not procuring designated items containing recovered material using the Recovered Materials Determination Form.

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For informational purposes, a list of known sources for acoustical ceiling tiles using recycled material is provided in the EPA/CPG Supplier database at [http://www.ergweb2.com/cpg4review/user/cpg\\_search.cfm](http://www.ergweb2.com/cpg4review/user/cpg_search.cfm).

Note that the Contractor is not limited to these sources. A product meeting CPG recycle requirements from other sources may be submitted for the Government's approval.

Contractor shall submit recycled material content data for acoustic ceiling tiles indicating compliance with affirmative procurement.

Contractor shall submit total weight and volume quantities of acoustic ceiling tiles with recycle material.

### PART 3 EXECUTION

Not Used

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